#### **TO REACH THE HARD TO REACH FOR CHRIST**

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"We want to live in the US. What is the best way for us to get in?"

That was their first question. It was almost midnight, and we were in the middle of nowhere. Actually we were on the Tajikistan/Uzbekistan border in Central Asia. The question was asked by two Tajik brothers. They allowed us to stay the night in their cabin, one they also used for their daily Muslim prayers.

I am writing this letter on the 4th of July. I for one, love my country. I have been around the world in the last 12 months and I am honored to call the United States my home. In Bolivia, they boasted whenever one of their relatives got to visit the United States. In Iceland, they talked about all the American cities they have been able to visit. Obviously America is not perfect, but I love my country! We all should pray that God would heal our land. See II Chronicles 7:14.

#### THANKS FOR EXTENDING OUR REACH

To reach where no one is reaching, and to preach where no one is preaching. That's the goal of Extreme Mission Evangelism (XME). This has been a huge undertaking of faith for our family.

I stopped receiving salary as Senior Pastor one year ago. The Apostle Paul made tents, and we are working a day job to support

our family and ministry. On the weekends we visit churches to preach and to present the ministry of XME. Besides West Virginia, we have traveled to churches in Ohio, Kentucky, North Carolina, Georgia, Pennsylvania and Connecticut. We have been blessed by the fellowship,



Taking a few moments before church to watch the sunrise near Haven of Rest Baptist Church in West Haven, CT

support, and encouragement. Thank you churches, pastors, family and friends. We have been able to touch lives in isolated areas around the world because of your prayers and financial support.

"Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD; and the people whom he hath chosen for his own inheritance."

Psalms 33:12



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## EXTREME MISSION EVANGELISM

#### The Extreme Mission

Of Christ

"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

Mark 16:15

#### **Our Calling**

To reach those in restricted access lands, and those that are isolated and hard to reach, for Christ.

To witness Jesus build His church where church planting is humanly impossible.

**To motivate** and inspire a new generation to live for Christ, full throttle.

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#### SHE STILL HASN'T HEARD

I had a vision. It repeated unexpectedly as pastor when I got up to preach to our people. I guess it wasn't a vision as much as a thought. It was an idea that emerged in my heart and it was saying, *She still hasn't heard, she still hasn't heard.* 

As pastor, I would give the gospel invitation to our people in church at least three times every week. And as I was giving the invitation, I would be thinking, *She still hasn't heard, she still hasn't heard.* 

The regulars at church have heard the gospel invitation thousands of times. I kept thinking of the little girl somewhere who still had not yet heard. My five daughters and one son had heard. And, for seven years while I was pastor, my church had heard of the death, burial, resurrection and extreme love of Jesus Christ.

### ALL THE WORLD & EVERY CREATURE

But, *she still hasn't heard,* I repeated to myself. I began to think of all the isolated and scattered people we witnessed to when we were missionaries in Bolivia. I thought how the vast majority of the scattered people would never see a missionary, much less have a church planted in their minuscule pueblo. I knew of the vastness of isolation in other countries. How would these people ever hear of Christ?

I was restless. I knew Jesus was calling. He wanted me to personally reach those without any gospel influence, and those with no earthly opportunity to hear about the salvation of Christ.

I spoke with wise men and women. I sought counsel from the leadership of the church where I was pastor. It took about a year and a half, but by faith I stepped out of the pastorate and into the world of missions, looking for that little girl on the edge of the jungle.

By the way, I did find her. She was on the edge of the jungle in Bocas del Toro, Panama. There is no space here to tell the whole story, but I talked to her about Jesus and she accepted Him as her Savior.

I also found "her" on the Uzbekistan-Tajikistan border. I found "her" in Bolivia last fall, and in Iceland earlier this year. By faith I will find her in other far away places as God leads.



My friend from Central Asia...

...and his niece.

I know this: God has given me a calling. To go and tell those that are far away,

isolated, lonely, remote, and hard to reach, and tell them about the extreme love and salvation that is in Jesus, alone.

Thanks again for your prayers, encouragement, and support!

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